7 If the sale is not confirmed, the amount paid will be refunded.

8 The accepted bidder shall execute an agreement within fifteen days of the intimation of the confirmation of the sale binding himself to observe the conditions mentioned hereunder duly furnishing a security deposit equal to one-fourth of the sale amount or Rs. 500, whichever is less. In default the acceptance of the bid will be revoked, the money already paid forfeited and the right resold at his risk.

9 Further conditions to be entered in the agreement are :—

(*a*) The lessee shall hold himself responsible for the cutting or injuring of any other trees on the plea of collecting the produce. The lessee shall be held personally responsible for the acts of his agents or servants.

(*b*) The lessee shall furnish a list of sub-contractors, agents or servants who may be appointed by him for the collection of the produce.

(*c*) The lessee shall work out the lease himself and not transfer or sublet it to others without the previous sanction of the District Forest Officer or the Conservator of Forests.

(*d*) The coolies employed by the lessee must take permission from the Range Officer before they enter State Forests.

(*e*) The lessee shall keep and render accounts every month to the District Forest Officer, of the produce collected and removed by him or his agents during the month. His accounts will be liable for the inspection of Conservator of Forests, Shimoga, or the District Forest Officer or by any other officer deputed by either of them.

The lessee shall be considered a wholesale dealer for the collection and export of leaves and shall not interfere with licences issued by the Department for small quantities of leaves to *bona fide* local beedi manufacturers. (*Vide* G.O. No. I.C. 1059-68—Ft. 26-23-6, dated 31st August 1923 and G. O. No. 8079-89—Ft. 314-26-2, dated 21st March 1927, *Re* : free removal of headloads).

(*f*) The lessee, his agents or servants shall render all possible help in preventing the occurrence of fire in forests, in which he or they may be working and render prompt assistance in extinguishing such fire as may break out accidentally.

(*g*) The lessee shall remove out of the limits of the taluk all produce collected and sold under the terms of the lease, before the close of the period of contract.

(*h*) Neither the lessee nor his servants shall enter the State Forest, either before sunrise or after sunset.

10 In the event of the breach of any of the above conditions, the lease will be liable to be cancelled, deposit forfeited and the lessee fined to the extent of Rs. 100 which will be recovered as an arrear of Revenue demand.

11 Interest will be charged at 6¼ per cent per annum on all belated payments of revenue.

6618 K. A. SAMPATH, *D.F.O.*

SHIMOGA FOREST DIVISION.

Detailed Notification dated 10th December 1953.

It is hereby notified for the general information of the public that the undermentioned kinds and quantities of timber in the Depot at Ayanur will be sold by public auction by the District Forest Officer, Shimoga Division or any other Officer deputed by him on Sunday the 17th January 1954 at 2 P.M.

Kind.		*Cft.*
Teak ...	...	1,500.
Other kinds	...	500.

SALE CONDITIONS.

1 The sale is subject to confirmation by the Conservator of Forests, Shimoga.

2 The Sale Conducting Officer may accept or reject the deposit or any intending purchaser without assigning any reason therefor.

3 Joint bid will not be accepted.

4 Every bidder must deposit with the Sale Conducting Officer Rs. 100 only.

5 After the sale is over the successful bidder must pay the full value of the purchase, if the amount does not exceed Rs. 250 or 500 and ¼th value of purchase in the case of sale over Rs. 500 and the sales-tax on the full sale amount failing which the earnest deposit wi l be forfeited.

6 As soon as the confirmation of the sale is intimated to the successful bidder, the balance amount must be paid if it is due and materials taken delivery of immediately failing which the materials will be lying at the risk of the purchaser and all the deposits paid so far will be forfeited.

7 The other usual conditions of timber auction sale apply to this sale also.

6625 B. MARAPPA, *D.F.O.*

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

BUILDINGS DIVISION, BANGALORE.

Notification dated 12th December 1953.

"It is hereby notified for the information of the Public that the tender notification for running a Cycle Stand at District Offices, published in the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 10th the December 1953 is hereby cancelled as the original contract is still in force."

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Notification.

Tenders will be received in the Office of the Executive Engineer, Buildings Division, Bangalore, up to 3 P.M. on 5th January 1954, for the following work :—

Name of work	Amount of estimate	Earnest money
	Rs.	Rs.
Extending the Public Health Offices, Ananda Rao Circle, Bangalore.	26,861	1,345

1. Each tender must be accompanied by a duplicate chellan for having deposited the earnest money noted against the work into the Reserve Bank of India, Bangalore, to the credit of "P. W. Deposits—2 Advances, Revenue Deposits" in default of which the tender will be rejected.

2. Only on acceptance of one of the tenders, the earnest money of the rejected tenders will be returned.

3. Copies of the contract documents, schedule and drawings may be seen at the Office of the Executive Engineer, Buildings Division, Bangalore, on all working days between 11 A.M. and 5 P.M.

4. The tenderer need only mention the rates for each item of work of the abstract estimate both in words and in figures, at which he is willing to undertake the work, without which the tender will be rejected. The total cost of each item of work together with the grand total of each work should also be noted in the tender.

5. Tenders submitted in other than the prescribed form will be rejected, the prescribed form being available at the Division Office on payment of Re. 0-4-0 per copy.

6. The detailed clauses defining the conditions of the tender can be seen at the Office of the Executive Engineer, Buildings Division, Bangalore.

7. Items not provided for in the estimate will be paid for as per schedule of rates or as per data worked out, if not provided for in the schedule of rates during the time of execution.

8. The sealed tenders received for the above work will be opened in the presence of such of those tenderers who will be present at that time.

9. If the work is not completed and handed over within the specified period, a fine of Rs. 50 will be levied for every fortnight's delay.

10. The final acceptance or recommendation for acceptance will rest with the Chief Engineer, Bangalore. The successful contractor should bind himself to abide by the departmental rules in force and execute the necessary *mutchalika* on receipt of intimation of acceptance of his tender, failing which, his earnest money will be forfeited.

11. Under no circumstances will a father and his son or other close relations be allowed to tender for the same contract as separate competitors. A breach of this condition will render the tenders of both the parties liable for rejection.

12. The submission of a tender by a contractor implies that he has read this notice and the conditions of the contract and has made himself aware of the scope and specifications of the work to be done and of the schedule of rates, etc.